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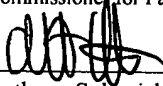
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Yoshihiro UETA, et al

Serial No.: 09/759,312

Filing Date: January 12, 2001

For: NITRIDE COMPOUND
SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT
EMITTING DEVICE AND METHOD
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

Examiner: S. Mulpuri

Group Art Unit: 2812

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Advisory Action dated April 10, 2003 (Paper No. 16). The period for response continues from the supplemental Final Office Action dated January 15, 2003 for which a response was due on April 15, 2003 and for which a one-month extension of time is requested to extend the time for response from April 15, 2003 to May 15, 2003. Accordingly, this RCE and amendment are timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

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